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THE TRUSTS ATTEMPT TO DO A

The Virginian-Pilot has received from Messrs. N. W. Ayer & Son, paper advertising agents of Philadelphia, an intimation that the campaign devices so extensively employed by Marcus A. Hanna & Co., in 1896, are to figure in this campaign. The firm first mentioned enclosed a stereotyped re-print of a paper by Rev. Sam P. Jones on "The Trusts and the People," which appeared first in the Manufacturer's ecord, of Baltimore. The burden of the song of Mr. Jones is that trusts ower prices, and could not do any harm if they wanted to. The song lasts for about two columns, Messrs. Ayer & Son think that a "compliment-hry insertion of this article" would be appreciated "by the large corporations of the country," and will redound to the interest of the newspapers in which it appears, in that said large corporations will be disposed thereby to adwertise and so "build up a trade which will be more profitable to them than secured in any other way." We easily follow the argument, but as a plain isiness proposition we do not find this enthusiasm contagious. To begin with, It is scarcely fair. In the first place, Mr. Jones was paid, doubtless twice, for writing the article in question; he was certainly paid once by the Manu-facturers' Record, and was possibly half he held a brief. The character of plain that it went into the Record (althe Record's subscribers, and was a The whole arrangement was eminent. only when the newspaper is reached that refuge ts sought in indefinite contingencies. Really, the scheme is very stupid. The trusts must take the newspaper fraternity for great fools to thus attempt to beat their advertising. Messrs, Ayer & Son request that a

prinel document should be swiftly resented by the people of this country because It means, whatever it may be called, an attack upon their liberties. To assume that the President of the developments in the to it with safety to the people is to step is taken toward a despotism though it call itself a Republic a thousand times.

a war begun by the President on mer

be permitted to the President with foreign representatives, now reported Kinley's invasion of her soil, which is her apparent purpose? We shall have to help us or not will not be the ques tion of 400,000,000 people with the choic of whipping or being whipped, and what other nations do will be no affair do the work and the armies have have to go that length or be chastise In short, Mr. McKinley has begun country of its men and resources; if i mitted. The question of war or pea authorities at Washington, and rests in Pekin. If they wish to pass by the of pick up the gauntlet, it is war. And the President and plainly without au-

Before the people of the country ther none more fraught with danger a ly is foelish optimism.

A ONE-MAN GOVERNMENT.

the existence of a more or less well de at home, such doubt has been dispelle uation in China became serious.

has assumed the prerogative to make inextricable tangle of conflicting interadvertising rates. It made very good ests, though that was enough to open reading matter for a large number of the eyes of any who has doubted the drift toward Empire. What is of ever giving McKinley a free band, no matter whether it is war or peace. This from the New York Mail and Express is typical of declarations that have ap- to further the purposes and extend the peared in practically all Administration scope of that imperialism to which the organs of importance:

> "We need no Congress at this critical juncture to meddle with and embarrass

ordinate branches of the government, by like it is greated by the "green goods" affects. It is often "worked," but it is always acutely conscious of it at the relations of this government to the time. It has been up against the paper trust and knows the breed; therefore the panegyric of Rev. San Jones will line many a waste basket in this broad land.

UNWARRANTED OPTIMISM.

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The Americans are an optimistic people. That is natural. Fatte has been good to them, and they have been pretty good to them, and they have been pretty good to them, and they have been good to the manual for the little distinct of the United States Treasury—in the Americans are an optimistic people. That is natural. Fatte has been good to the manual for the previous of the united States Treasury—in the Congress has become a more "medical treasure of the United States Treasury—in the Previous of the United States Treasury—in the Previous of the previous of the united States Treasury—in the Previous of the United States Treasury—in the Previous of the United States Treasury—in the Previous of th

for us the privileges of equality of op- gress on his hands;" McKinley does potism, between the world and despo- Cleveland and his autocratic stretches tism, indeed, but the Constitution of of executive power; the Republicans ern Union Telegraph Company. which it embodies. Any greater stretches. Nothing has done on of the provisions of that more to widen the chasm between the Republic for which, now, as in the past,

A NEW INSTANCE OF BRITISH FOLLY.

The almost complete obscuration of general notice an act of British folly herein the ties of blood and of alle-

and one of the grave dangers from the burghers of Kruger and Steyn, This the Cape, and the English authorities

ay, and the result is a new call caution against a threatened uprising in the Cape, which might very easithusand miles of hostile country beter of the globe. It may well nerve the hows that if subdued they have nothsity or forbearance-not even naked

THE CASE STATED.

ase-the belief is so widespread as to ican army is once thrown into China copy of the paper containing the article pe sent them that they "may obtain for the paper all the credit possible."

Messrs, Ayer & Son are a reputable firm and beyond a doubt every paper that comples with this request will set cash will go, far be it from us to conjecture. The trusts are young and "green" yet, otherwise they would have farned that the newspaper is a most unpromising customer for the "green goods" approximate the real and the "green goods" approximate the consisting and the one in which is specifically actually the sent that the relations of this government to the relations of the government to the relations of the government to the relations of this government to the relations of the government to the relations of the government to the relations of the country sickens at the prospect of the uncleasion of the country will have an ell. If the new will take an ell. If the out-takes of the out-to country will have an inch he will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If the out-takes and the will take an ell. If t

or us the privileges of equality of op-ortunity and equality before the law. not propose to have Congress on his We are apt to forget that nothing hands. We progress rapidly—toward Caesarism. The Democracy repudiated of gobbling up the Bell Telephone Com pany has been assigned to the Westeach of these companies is somewhat octopusy, and the Bell declines to be assimilated, the Chinese dragon car gain points by pausing to look en.

It is clearly the intention of the President to avoid a war with China. If the occupant of the White House were a man who covets the glory that comes from war, he might have found abundant provocation for taking the list steps in the direction of war already.—Knoxville Journal and Tribune.

The humor of the Journal and Tri-

The chartering of transports has begun again, and another inviting field for Brother Abner's activity is wide oren. Thus far seven ships, with ; total tonnage of 28,642, have been chartered.

Counterfeiters have been detected turning out spurious coins in Manila The Philippines already had plenty of counterfeit liberty.

Hon. Charles F. Dick announces that the Republicans "have a fight on their hands" in Ohio. The discernment of

While the war in China threatens an idvance in the price of ten, coca cola and ice cream soda will go at the same old rate.

of the country is considerably tempered by common sense. Experience is quite

It will be noted that the martial fever

Mr. W. T. Stead says all the world can't whip China.

NOTES AND OPINIONS.

NO HONESTY OF PURPOSE. (Philadelphia Times.)

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There is no honesty or earnesiness of purpose on the part of the Republicans to interfere with the great financial and business combinations which are known as trusts, and it is doubtful whether there is any sincerity of purpose on the part of the Republican leaders even to restrain and conserve these combinations in the interest of the people. They will be the backbone of the Republican column in the coming battle, and they will give larger campaign contributions to debauch our politics than have ever been given in the past.

THE BICYCLE OUT OF FASHION.

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(Iowa State Register.)

That the bicycle is no longer a faish ionable fad is made evident by the meeting of the League of Americal Wheelmen in Milwaukee. A few year ago the annual meetings of this great organization were attended by 25,00 enthusiastic wheelmen from all part of the country, but this year the number in attendance is less than 1,000, enthusiastic wheelmen from the nearboard of them are more in use to-day than ever be fore and the demand for them continues, but, now that the wheels have been placed within the reach of although the proposed of the p crease in the cost will undoubtedly re-sult in a large increase in the number used, but the time when it was in the heighth of fashion is over. The next fad will be an improvement of the bicy sie, the automobile.

SUMMER RESORTS. VARIETY SPRINGS.

ARIETY SPRINGS.

AUGUSTA COUNTY, VA..

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To the usersof Gas Ranges,

we wish to announce that Miss Mabel H. Burnham has been engaged by us to demonstrate the advantage of cooking by Gas. She has just finished a special course in cooking at the School of Domestic Science of Boston, and comes from that institution highly recommended, and we bespeak for her your hearty approval.

Miss Burnham's services can be secured at any time from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. for the purpose of giving a practical cooking lesson and rendering any aid that may be desired. Your very truly,

CITY GAS CO.

OF NORFOLK.

Olive Oil, Sardines,

Buffalo Lithia Water, Poland Mineral Water, Wines, Whiskies and Cigars.

JOHN VERMILLION, 6 Granby St.

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These Prices Must Claim Your Attention

Men's Hats at 98c., worth \$2.50. Men's Collars at 5c., worth 15c. Men's Underwear at 23c., worth 5cc. Men's 16 Hose at 5c., worth 175c.

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Old Phone 1307.

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